

# **Typhoon Impacts**

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## **LONG-TERM GOALS**

I seek to understand the interactions between the ocean and tropical cyclones including typhoons and hurricanes.

## **OBJECTIVES**

To measure and understand the ocean response to several typhoons in the western Pacific ocean as part of a team of oceanographers, meteorologists and modelers.

## **APPROACH**

This the first year of the Typhoon Impacts DRI. Our activities have been primarily confined to planning the program in cooperation with our Taiwanese colleagues.

## **WORK COMPLETED**

I participated in planning meetings in Taipei in March 2008 and in Miami in June, 2008. I am organizing a meeting to write an experimental plan in November 2008 in Seattle.

## **RESULTS**

None yet.